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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR SEPARATING AND DETECTING NUCLEIC ACID

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to Comply With Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures mailed August 14, 2002 (copy enclosed) in the above-referenced patent application, Applicants make the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments

Please amend the Application as follows.

In the Specification:

Please insert the enclosed Sequence Listing in written form after the last page of the specification. The enclosed Sequence Listing is to replace an earlier version of the listing (filed October 25, 2001).